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**DEVICE FOR PROCESSING A MATERIAL WEB;  
METHOD FOR CONTROLLING AND  
ASCERTAINING THE POSITION AND/OR THE  
CONTACT PRESSURE OF A SONOTRODE; AND  
METHOD FOR MONITORING THE MATERIAL  
WEB MOVING IN A PROCESSING GAP**

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EXAMINER'S INITIALS	DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUB-CLASS	TRANSLATION	
						YES	NO
	195 26 354	January 16, 1997	DE				X*
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**OTHER DOCUMENTS**

EXAMINER'S INITIALS		AUTHOR, TITLE, DATE, PERTINENT PAGES, ETC.

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